

## NEWS FROM RICHMOND AND OTHER PARTS OF VIRGINIA.

RICHMOND NEWS  
AND GOSSIP

The Governor of Virginia meets the  
Governor of Tennessee.

## STATE BOUNDARY LINE

Invited to Attend Exhibition at Cincinnati—Obstruction Moved From James River Channel—Charges Against Young Lawyer Dismissed—A Poetic Crank—Removal of Southern Railway Shops.

(Special to Virginian-Pilot.)

Richmond, Va., Aug. 26.—It was said at the Governor's office to-day that it was not known when the Executive would return to Richmond. He went to Bristol to-day to hold a conference with Governor McMillan, of Tennessee, in regard to the State line, which has so long been a bone of contention. The Governor now transacts his business from his home at East Radford, and the statements repeatedly made that the affairs of the State are suffering by reason of the campaign that he is making, are wholly without foundation.

## INVITATION.

An invitation has been received by the Governor to attend the Mid-Continental Agricultural Exhibition and Harvest Festival at Cincinnati, which begins September 25th. The meeting is to advance the interests of American farmers. The Governor has been requested to appoint delegates.

## CHARGES DISMISSED.

Walter A. Dunn, the young lawyer, who was arrested yesterday on the charge of embezzling a sum of money, the property of Mrs. S. F. Bohannon, was arraigned in the Police Court this morning. The case was dismissed on the testimony of Mrs. Bohannon, who stated that she was satisfied the young man had no intention of defrauding her.

## CHANNEL OBSTRUCTION REMOVED.

For more than a year the vessels coming up to Richmond have been menaced by a large sunken in the channel not far from this city. The city finally took the matter in hand and has, by the liberal use of dynamite, removed the obstruction. The barge was sunk near what is known as Goode's Rock.

## A POETIC CRANK.

Among the letters received by the Dewey Reception Committee in New York was one from A. J. Andrews, of Richmond. The Tribune says "he describes himself as a poet, and offers to come to New York to exhibit his prowess for the consideration of free board at a first-class hotel and passage paid, and a good steamer. In his letter he says:

"I herewith send you letters from prominent gentlemen regarding my poems. On receipt of \$50 I will send you a complete set, to be read at the banquet to be given Admiral Dewey. You will be so highly pleased with the poems that I think you will use your influence with the Mayor to send me \$1,000 on behalf of the city and citizens of New York. Drop me a line."

## REMOVAL OF SHOPS.

It is understood that the Southern shops at Burlington, N. C., will in the near future be removed to Manchester. Several years ago a large amount of the work done at the Manchester shops was transferred to Burlington, carrying along many Manchester families. By bringing this work back here several hundred workmen and their families will be added to this city, and general business will be improved.

## A POPULAR VOCALIST.

Miss Helen Nye, who recently resigned the position of soprano in the choir of Centenary Methodist Church, has been engaged for the Grove Avenue Baptist Church, to date from September 1st.

The news will be received with much satisfaction by friends of Miss Nye, and those who have heard her wonderfully sweet voice. Her singing at Centenary especially solos, was quite a feature of the services. Miss Nye studied vocal music under Bischoff, the famous Washington musician, and came to Richmond on his recommendation.

## SENT TO STATE FARM.

Thomas W. Price has not been sent to the State farm. Major Helm has the question under consideration. It is not usually the custom to send prisoners sentenced for life to the farm, but considering Price's age and his inability to do any of the work that might be assigned at the penitentiary, it is more than likely he will be taken to the country next week some time.

The colored prisoner who escaped from the State farm last week was captured to-day near Goodland court-house.

## BOYKIN.

**SUDDEN DEATH—THE MOVEMENTS OF PEOPLE.**  
(Special to Virginian-Pilot.)

Boykins, Va., Aug. 26.—Henry Sykes, a well known colored man, was taken with a fit on the road and fell out of his buggy, killing himself instantly.

Misses Reta Beaton, Blanche Beatty and May Bell, of Portsmouth, who have been visiting here for several weeks left for home Friday morning much to the regret of their many friends.

Mr. W. J. Rogers, Jr., of Portsmouth, spent yesterday and a portion of to-day in Boykins. He left on the afternoon train for his home, having been on a week's visit to friends in North Carolina.

A colored brakeman on the Tar River road, had one of his fingers mashed off and two others badly mashed.

There was a lawn party given by Miss Crizzard for the benefit of the Methodist Church. Quite a nice sum was realized.

Mr. Ed. Persons, who has been visiting his father, left to-day to visit Newsoms to visit his father. He will leave for Portsmouth Sunday evening.

Mr. J. Westbrook, who has been attending his meeting at Old Church for the past week, leaves to-morrow for

Franklin to spend several days. He will go from there to his home in Norfolk.

There will be a meeting held by the Sanctification Band in our town the third Sunday in September. Children's day exercises will be held at Hebron Baptist Church Tuesday afternoon.

## TOWN OF SUFFOLK

Young Lad Hit By Flying Baseball and Killed.

William Jones and Jim Enson, Colored Locked Up in Nansemond Jail Charged With Clubbing Old Man Daniel Wood.

(Special to Virginian-Pilot.)

Suffolk, Va., Aug. 26.—Eldred Potter, 14 years old, was this afternoon struck on the breast by a thrown baseball. He lived twenty minutes. Dr. R. E. Parker was called, but when he examined the body breath had flown.

Lighty Reed, aged fifteen years, was pitching balls at Potter, trying to strike him out. The third one thrown was fatal. El bent forward when the sphere struck him, gasping for breath. Then he fell backward heavily. Lighty and other boy friends rushed up and tried to resuscitate the conqueror. When he didn't regain consciousness Dr. Parker was called. There was no abrasion on the skin, and Dr. Parker is not sure whether the ball hit him over the heart or stomach. The remains were taken home at No. 34 Sycamore street. No inquest was thought necessary.

El was a son of Mr. Rufus Potter, a railway postal clerk, who runs on the Norfolk and Southern. He was the oldest son.

## MAY BE MURDER.

Charged with clubbing Old Man Daniel Wood almost to the point of death, William Jones and Jim Enson, colored, were taken in custody to-day and given lodging in Nansemond county jail. Wood is foreman in Isaac T. Wilson's mill, near Cypress Chapel. His assailants were employees.

Wood got angered at Jones and punched him with a piece of lumber. That was last Thursday. The mill whistle at 6 o'clock announced the close of that work-day. The first thing Mr. Wood knew he was given a terrific blow with a club from behind. It knocked him down. Wood was also struck on the temple with a piece of iron. When they picked him up Wood was unconscious. He has been delirious ever since, and was reported worse to-day. The prisoners may have to answer an indictment for murder. Dr. D. L. Harrell is attending Wood.

The accused were brought to Suffolk this morning by Officers A. L. Harrell, of Nansemond, and George Knight, of Gatesville, N. C. Jones was taken at Gatesville. Enson, who was only an accomplice, had been kept at the mill.

## MOODY'S MEETING.

Rev. J. F. Love at the Baptist Church Sunday night will tell of the great religious meeting which he has been attending at Northfield, Mass. There will be an open-air service for children at 6 o'clock.

## REUNITED TO GIRL WIFE.

After several weeks' separation from his 16-year-old girl-wife, Mr. Victor H. Pope arrived to-day from Baltimore, and was driven home at Everett's, Va. There was an affectionate meeting. Mrs. Pope had telegraphed him to come.

The reconciliation was the result of a trial of H. S. Johnson for perjury in Gates county, who had previously eloped with Pope's sister, went off with the couple, and it was charged he was Ella Holland was 22 years old. Johnson was acquitted.

Then the girl placed herself in Hurricane Branch's charge and asked that she be delivered to her husband. Her father, Job Holland, was enraged, and it is reported said he had rather see her dead than reunited. There was love on the one side and parental influence on the other. Love won.

## SLEPT ON THE TRACKS.

Joe Clark got tired walking down the Norfolk and Carolina railroad tracks this afternoon, and sat down to rest. He slept, all unconscious of the coming of southbound passenger train No. 103, which was moving at 50 miles an hour. The engineer couldn't see the sleeping man because of smoke arising from forest fires. When Clark woke up he was dying. The accident happened just south of Narney Station, and the bleeding, crushed man was taken to 28-mile siding, where Dr. D. L. Harrell was called. Clark was dead. He lived at Palmyra, N. C., where the remains will be taken.

## MASCOT SOCIETY.

The Mascot Club met last evening with Miss Em Holland, on Brooklyn Heights. Among entertaining numbers were games and music. Refreshments came later. Those present: Miss Phoebe Jones with Walter Carpenter, Miss Mary Gregory with J. E. B. Holladay, Miss Abbie Wilson with J. D. Taylor, Miss Di Riddick with A. Applewhite, Miss Jennie Ballard with Ben Britt, Miss Lillian Jones with C. Jones, Miss Em Jones with Ashton Pretlow.

## FARMERS' TROUBLES.

Justice A. S. Eley this afternoon had to decide a variance between W. M. Kitchen and A. C. Briggs, of Magnolia, Va. Kitchen has a farm and Briggs cultivates crops on shares. Briggs got a warrant in which he swore Kitchen abused him and threatened him with a hickory stick. Kitchen was fined \$2.50 and the costs were \$6 more.

## TOLD IN A PARAGRAPH.

At the Main Street Methodist Church Sunday morning Mrs. W. T. Graham will sing a solo. Miss Freely will do the same thing at night.

The County Supervisors met to-day and ordered paid all properly audited accounts, all members being present. It was an adjourned meeting.

The subscription list for Frederick Ward's engagement here has been opened at J. H. Stewart's drug store. The attraction will not appear unless a specified number of seats are subscribed for.

J. H. Everett and D. White had some words to-day at a railroad depot. Hur-

**SUFFOLK ADVERTISEMENTS**

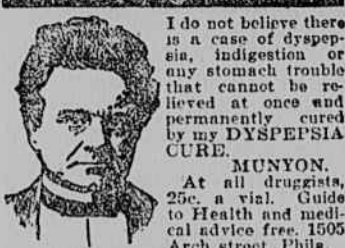
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ricane Branch happened along and summoned them to explain before Police Judge Brewer next week.

Miss Edith Skiles has returned from Boston. She had been visiting in New England since June.

Miss Jennie Bissell Briggs left this afternoon for a stay at Virginia Beach. Miss Kittle May Jones has come home from a visit to friends in Norfolk and Portsmouth.

Miss Lillian Norfleet left to-day to join her sister, Mrs. W. M. Whaley, of Norfolk, at Old Sweet Springs.

Misses Marguerite and Annie Delf left last night to visit North Carolina friends.

Miss Mary Virginia Vandersides left this afternoon for a visit to Miss Mary Sinter, in Garysburg, N. C.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Tattersall have come home from a stay in Mathews county, Va.

Mrs. H. January left this evening for Portsmouth, to spend two weeks with her mother.

Mr. H. January left for the North.

## NEWPORT NEWS.

Warwick Will Send Two Delegations to Williamsburg Convention

The Work of Painting the Kearsarge White Has Been Completed—Norfolk Officer Looking For Law Breakers—Death of Major Jett.

(Special to Virginian-Pilot.)

Newport News, Va., August 26.—Warwick county will send two delegations to the conventions at Williamsburg. There is no longer any doubt about this. It will remain for the committee on credentials to say which delegation is entitled to be seated.

Mr. E. C. Madison returned this morning from Williamsburg, where he addressed a meeting held there last night. In speaking of the Crawford meetings to be held in Warwick county Monday for the purpose of electing delegates to Williamsburg, Mr. Madison said he and his supporters will not participate. The eleven Madison delegates elected last Saturday will go to Williamsburg and claim their right to be seated in the convention.

Mr. Madison still claims that he is chairman of Warwick county. He does not recognize the action of the State Executive Committee, which decided in favor of Dr. Crafford.

**KEARSARGE'S COAT OF WHITE.**

The work of painting the new battleship Kearsarge the regular color of the United States navy, white, was completed at the ship-yard to-day and the warship is now more like one of the commissioned fighting machines than she has been since her construction commenced.

Yesterday afternoon this work had been accomplished as far as the hull of the ship is concerned, and but little of it remains to be done. That portion of the vessel above the main deck received its white coat to-day.

## WANTED IN NORFOLK.

Charles A. Turner, who is connected with the Norfolk police department, is in the city looking for some parties who are wanted by the authorities in that city. The persons in question purchased a lot of furniture, amounting to about \$100, from a Norfolk firm, on the installment plan, and after paying \$1, the first payment on the stuff, they shipped it all to this city, leaving the dealer some \$99 shy on the transaction.

## DEATH OF MAJOR JETT.

Major F. W. Jett, of Hampton, died yesterday in the Confederate Soldiers' Home at Richmond, where he had been an inmate for some time. He was 82 years old and a native of Northumberland county. He served through the war as engineer officer of Mahone's Brigade, of Anderson's division, and as chief engineer on Lieutenant General Anderson's staff.

## FRANKLIN.

HYMENEAL ANNOUNCEMENT—PERSONAL AND OTHER NOTES.  
(Special to Virginian-Pilot.)

Franklin, Va., August 26.—Mr. and Mrs. Willis Webster Hargroves have issued cards announcing the marriage of their daughter, Margaret, to Mr. L. Ross Jones, September 6th, 1899. Mr. Jones is a well-known young merchant of this town, and Miss Hargroves is well known as the primary teacher of the Franklin Female Seminary for the past four years.

The Misses Nannye J. and Jennie Beck Beale gave an outing to Delaware Park yesterday, to a party of their young friends.

Mrs. Henry Cobb and children left this week for Littleton, N. C., to spend some time for the health of Mrs. Cobb.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Beaman gave a tea in honor of Miss Twitty, of Suffolk, who is visiting Mr. James Story. A few young people were invited to meet this charming young lady.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip M. Eley left this week for Pocomoke City, Md., to visit the relatives of Mrs. Eley. They will be gone some time.

Mrs. James L. Camp and family returned yesterday from Crockett Springs, Va.

Mrs. E. Y. Roberson, of Portsmouth, Va., is visiting her parents here.

Mr. James W. Williams, of Washington, gave to a party of his lady friends an evening at Delaware Park.

The Franklin Female Seminary is being painted white by Mr. George Whitt's force of hands. The color improves the building very much.

## PETERSBURG.

The Southern Railway Company to  
Build a Car Shed.

Will Have a Storage Capacity of  
Thirty-six Cars—Political Gossip—  
Personal Mention—Preparations  
For College Opening.

Petersburg, Va., Aug. 26.—The Southern Railway and Development Company have purchased a lot at the corner of Rome and Chappell streets on which they will erect a car-shed, which will be 253 by 85 feet, and will have a capacity for the storage of thirty-six cars. The flooring will be of concrete and the building will be entirely fire-proof. Mr. Edwards, the superintendent of the company, told me this morning that the entire system of the railway, including the Halifax and old street lines, would be in operation by to-morrow week. Mr. Edwards also stated that more cars would be put on the road to-morrow to accommodate the Sunday trade.

## POLITICAL.

Much interest is felt in the legislative convention to be held at Claremont next Monday, which will nominate a candidate for the Legislature for the district composed of the counties of Surry and Prince George.

Rev. E. T. Dandman, pastor of High Street M. E. Church, who has been assisting Rev. A. C. Berryman in Sussex county in a protracted meeting, will occupy his pulpit to-morrow.

Mrs. W. M. Winfree and her daughter, Miss Mabel, have returned to the city after visiting at Crewe.

Miss Hope Cates and Miss Lee Inmond, of Richmond, who have been visiting here, returned home to-day.

Mr. W. S. Fisher, of DeWitt, Dinwiddie county, was in the city to-day.

## HAMPDEN-SIDNEY COLLEGE.

Mrs. E. C. Hite, of Crewe, is here on a visit to her father, Mr. T. A. Pulley.

Preparations for the opening of Hampden-Sidney College on the 13th proximo are being prosecuted vigorously. The opening address to the students will be made by Rev. E. T. Wellford, of Newport News, an esteemed graduate of the college.

An important improvement which the students will find completed on their arrival in September is the transfer of the books of the college library to the handsome library building lately acquired from Union Theological Seminary.

I was informed to-day by a gentleman from Sussex that the corn and peanut crop is the most promising he has ever seen.

Misses Maggie and Carrie Stewart, of Dinwiddie county, were in the city to-day, visiting friends.

From Mrs. Vaughn  
to Mrs. Pinkham.

[LETTER TO MRS. PINKHAM NO. 64,357]

"DEAR FRIEND—Two years ago I had child-bed fever and womb trouble in its worst form. For eight months after birth of babe I was not able to sit up. Doctors treated me, but with no help. I had bearing-down pains, burning in stomach, kidney and bladder trouble and my back was so stiff and sore, the right ovary was badly affected and everything I ate distressed me, and there was a bad discharge.

I was confined to my bed when I wrote to you for advice and followed your directions faithfully, taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, Liver Pills and using the Wash, and am now able to do the most of my housework. I believe I should have died if it had not been for your Compound. I hope this letter may be the result of benefiting some other suffering woman. I recommend your Compound to every one."—MRS. MARY VAUGHN, TREMBLE, PUTASKI CO., KY.

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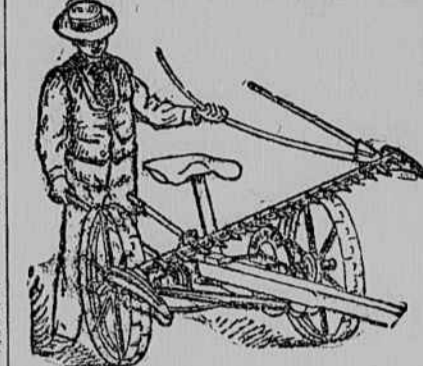
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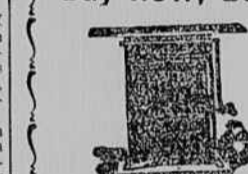
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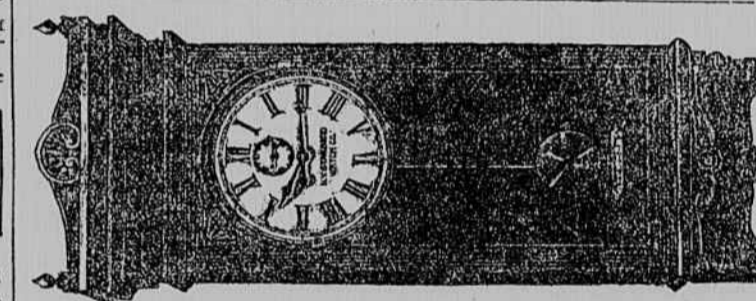


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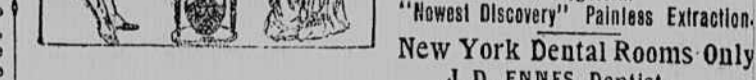
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